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In re Application of:

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RESPONSE

Sir:

This is in response to the United States Patent and Trademark Office Action mailed September 25, 2007, which response is being made on Wednesday, December 26, 2007 (December 25, 2007 being Federal Holidays), and for which a two month extension of time fee is due and enclosed herewith.

The Examiner requires restriction under 35 U.S.C. § 121.

Applicants elect Group III (Claims 131-134) for Examination at this time.

The Election is made without traverse.

Additional claims 180-202 are added herein depending on the claims of the elected group III.

Applicants reserve the right to file additional claims in future divisional and/or continuation applications.

Applicant submits this response for entry into the record, in which:

Additional Claims begin on page 2.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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